

## ROBBER GANG RAIDS HOME OF TAMMANY BOSS

More Than \$3,000 Worth of  
Plunder Secured in C. F.  
Murphy's House.

POLICE ARE BAFFLED.

Believe Thieves Live in Block  
Where Many Houses Have  
Been Entered.

The crowning act of a gang of burglars who have looted nine houses in the block bounded by Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets and First and Second avenues within two weeks was to invade the home of Charles F. Murphy, the Tammany boss, and steal \$3,000 worth of jewelry.

Capt. Stephen McDermott, of the East Twenty-second street station, who is so worried about the robberies on Boss Murphy's block and other in the Stuyvesant Square and Greenwich Park District, that he has not slept at his home for four weeks, states that the thief lives right on the ground. He is positive that the Murphy burglar did not leave the block after committing the crime.

"It is a peculiar thing," said Capt. McDermott to-day, "that the houses robbed are all on the north side of Elmhurst street, or on the west side of First avenue or the east side of Second avenue. Ever since the first robbery was reported I have had that block covered as with a porous plaster.

Block Well Guarded.

"I have a man in uniform circling the block continuously all night, in addition to the regular policemen on the beats. I have had two plain clothes men, Foley and Hogan, on duty in the block, inside and outside, and the Central Office has men there every night.

"We are absolutely certain that the thieves did not escape to any of the streets surrounding the block after any of the robberies. The only conclusion left is that they live in some house in the block or work through the backyards and the roofs."

The looting of the home of the Tammany boss created a great deal of excitement among the police. The house, which is at No. 306 East Seventeenth street, is a tall, brownstone structure, with a large porch. It is equipped with burglar alarms, but despite these and the fact that a housekeeper and two other servants were supposed to be in charge, the thieves entered between 2 and 3 o'clock yesterday morning and spent fully three hours inside.

Mr. Murphy and his family, who were at Good Ground, were later informed by phone of the theft.

Forced Iron Bars Apart.

An investigation disclosed the fact that the thieves had entered the house through a rear window.

Once inside they disturbed nothing in the lower part of the house, but ascended to the sleeping room of the "boss."

In cash, jewelry and trinkets they made a haul of about \$3,000. A number of articles bearing Murphy's name were to get away with. This was true of the silverware, which they apparently were afraid to load up with.

They left as quietly as they came. Magistrate Joseph Moss, living a few doors away, at No. 317 East Seventeenth street, was one of the first to discover that his friend's house had been ransacked, and notified him.

7 KILLED AS TRAINS  
PLUNGE INTO RAVINE

Passenger and Freight Crash  
on Trestle, Go Through  
and Drop 20 Feet.

MOBILE, Ala., Jan. 10.—Seven persons were killed to-day in a collision between a westbound passenger train and an extra freight on the Mississippi and Alabama Railroad, at Vinegar Bend, Ala., forty-one miles from Mobile.

The collision occurred on a bridge spanning a ravine at a sharp curve. Both engines and part of each train crashed through the trestle and fell to the bottom of the ravine, twenty feet below.

Those killed were: C. C. Busbee, a section foreman; Henry Paine, a fireman, and five convicts.

Engineer Frank Marks, of Vinegar Bend, is reported fatally injured.

NO TALK OF WAR IN JAPAN,  
SAYS CANADIAN ENVOY.

MONTREAL, Jan. 10.—Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, Canada's representative to Japan, who has just returned from Tokyo, is quoted in an interview telegraphed from Winnipeg, in reference to the alleged talk of war between the United States and Japan, as saying: "In Japan it is not taken seriously, especially since the last message of the President. Financially, they are in a poor condition, and the late war has drained their resources, and there are all for peace. You hear no talk of war and no one even thinks of it. The great question at the present time is that of immigration. It is a most important one and that is why the Canadian Government will have a very careful. Fortunately, Count Hayashi is the brains of the Japanese Government to-day. He is the man who made the treaty with Great Britain before the late war, and that is a sample of his ability. He is eminently a safe man and is to be trusted to settle this question of immigration satisfactorily."

## POLITICIANS NOT WELCOME---BAKER

But Pat McCarren Marches  
Boldly In On New Police  
Official as He Says It.

"Boys, I assure you I am in this office in earnest. There will be no politics. Politicians will not be welcome here. I want to say."

Thus far the new First Deputy Police Commissioner William F. Baker to-day

got in his first talk with reporters in Brooklyn Police Headquarters when upon the ground-glass door leading to the outer office loomed the well-known silhouette of Pat McCarren.

First Deputy Baker, who swapped his job as President of the Civil Service Commission with former First Deputy Arthur J. O'Keefe, looked troubled for a moment, but resumed:

"As I was saying, I like this job. I like the idea of carrying out Commissioner Bingham's policies. I will fight like hell to see that this office is respected."

With this selection from his superior's vocabulary, Mr. Baker concluded his first talk for publication. To-morrow he will say some more, he promised. As the newspaper men filed out they bumped into the cadaverous Brooklyn statesman, close upon whose heels was "Tom" Hyman, leader in the Eleventh Assembly District. It was the first appearance at Police Headquarters of McCarren and Hyman since Commissioner O'Keefe took the job.

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